Who's in the Egg?

There are three clues to each egg. Children may be able to guess after just the first clue. If not, the next clue may give it away.

FISH

These eggs are laid in the water, attached to a plant or a stick.

When the babies hatch they swim about.

Somebody may catch one with a worm and a hook.

TADPOLES

These tiny eggs are all laid together by a lily pad, in a lake.

When the babies hatch they don't look like their parents.

The parents hop and croak and catch flies with their long tongues.

SNAKE

This egg is laid on the ground.

When baby hatches it will slither out.

When it grows up it will hiss.

TURTLE

This egg is laid in the sand or on the ground near the water.

When the baby comes out it has four legs, a little tail and a shell.

The shell is round and protects the baby's body.

CHICK

This egg is decorated for Easter.

If the mother hen sits on it long enough this baby will hatch.

It says "peep, peep."

DUCKLING

This egg is found on a farm near a pond.

The babies have feathers and webbed feet.

The mother teaches them to swim and say "quack, quack."

BIRD

This egg is found in a nest in a tree.

The mother and father build the nest.

When the baby hatches, the parents bring worms and bugs to the nest to feed it.

OWL

This egg is found in a nest in a tree.

The mother hunts mice at night on silent wings.

When the baby grows up you may hear him call "whoooo."

OSTRICH

This egg is laid in a nest on the ground in Africa.

It's parents have very long legs - they can run fast, but cannot fly.

When the baby grows up it will be one of the biggest birds on Earth.

DINOSAUR

This egg was laid millions of years ago.

It's parents were the biggest animals that ever lived.

It's last name was "saurus."





















